



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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COVALENT TETHERING OF FUNCTIONAL GROUPS TO PROTEINS

## PETITION FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Restriction Requirement mailed June 2, 2005, said period of response being extended from July 2, 2005 to September 2, 2005.

Authorization to charge Deposit Account No 19-0743 in the amount of \$450.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Respectfully Submitted,

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